July 14, 2006

Mr. S. Derek Phelps Executive Director Connecticut Siting Council 10 Franklin Square New Britain, CT 06051

Re: Docket D&M Plans - D&M Plans - Segment 2b

Dear Mr. Phelps:

This letter provides the response to requests for the information listed below.

Response to CSC-06 Interrogatories dated 07/07/2006 D&M-001, 002, 003, 004

Very truly yours,

Anne Bartosewicz Project Director Transmission Business NUSCO As Agent for CL&P

ABB/tms cc: Service List

The Connecticut Light and Power Company

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Data Request CSC-06

Witness: NO WITNESS

Request from: Connecticut Siting Council

Question:

In concept, explain how these Woodbridge route deviations differ from the route deviation for the Traditions Golf Club.

Response:

The route deviation in Woodbridge is a result of settlement negotiations to resolve an appeal of the CSC Decision in Docket No. 272. The route deviation for the Traditions Golf Club as provided in the application in Docket No. 272, was a response to a business entity that represented it would have gone out of business if the transmission facility were built on the existing right-of-way.

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Data Request CSC-06

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Witness: NO WITNESS

Request from: Connecticut Siting Council

Question:

Is it necessary for CL&P to provide notice to abutting landowners adjacent to the proposed Jewish Community Center and B'Nai Jacob route deviations? If yes, provide documentation. If not, provide a brief on whether or not notice is required in these circumstances.

Response:

No personal notice to abutters of the properties where route variations are proposed by the Segment 2b Development and Management ("D&M") Plan is required. These route variations are the subject of a Council proceeding pursuant to section 4-181a(b) of the General Statutes, in which the Council will decide whether to modify its original decision to approve the variations. The specific notice requirements for such a proceeding are set forth in § 4-181a(b) as follows:

The party or parties who were the subject of the original final decision, or their successors, if known, and intervenors in the original contested case, shall be notified of the proceeding and shall be given the opportunity to participate in the proceeding. *Id.*

The Council has complied with this provision by giving notice of the hearing to the entire Docket 272 Service List. No further notice of any kind is required for the Council to revise its decision pursuant to Conn. Gen. Stats. §4-181a(b).

Moreover, the Council's governing legislation does not require, in any case, personal notice to the abutters of land where electric transmission lines are proposed to be constructed. That legislation requires personal notice to abutters in the case of applications for electric generating stations, electric substations, community antenna television towers, and telecommunication towers (§§ 16-50(b); 16-50i(3) –(6)). No such personal notice to abutters is required for electric or fuel transmission lines. *Id.*

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Witness: NO WITNESS

Request from: Connecticut Siting Council

Question:

Has the Congregation B'Nai Jacob purchased or have an agreement to purchase the property owned by Reis?

- a) If yes, did the Congregation B'Nai Jacob achieve its objective to increase distance between the buildings and the right-of-way? If not, explain.
- b) If no, is CL&P requesting the route deviation for the purpose to acquire rights-of-way on the Reis property? If not, explain.

Response:

Congregation B'Nai Jacob and The Connecticut Light and Power Company are finalizing an agreement with Donna Reis under which Congregation B'Nai Jacob agrees to purchase a portion of the Reis Parcel.

- a) The Connecticut Light and Power Company believes so.
- b) N/A

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Company

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Witness: NO WITNESS

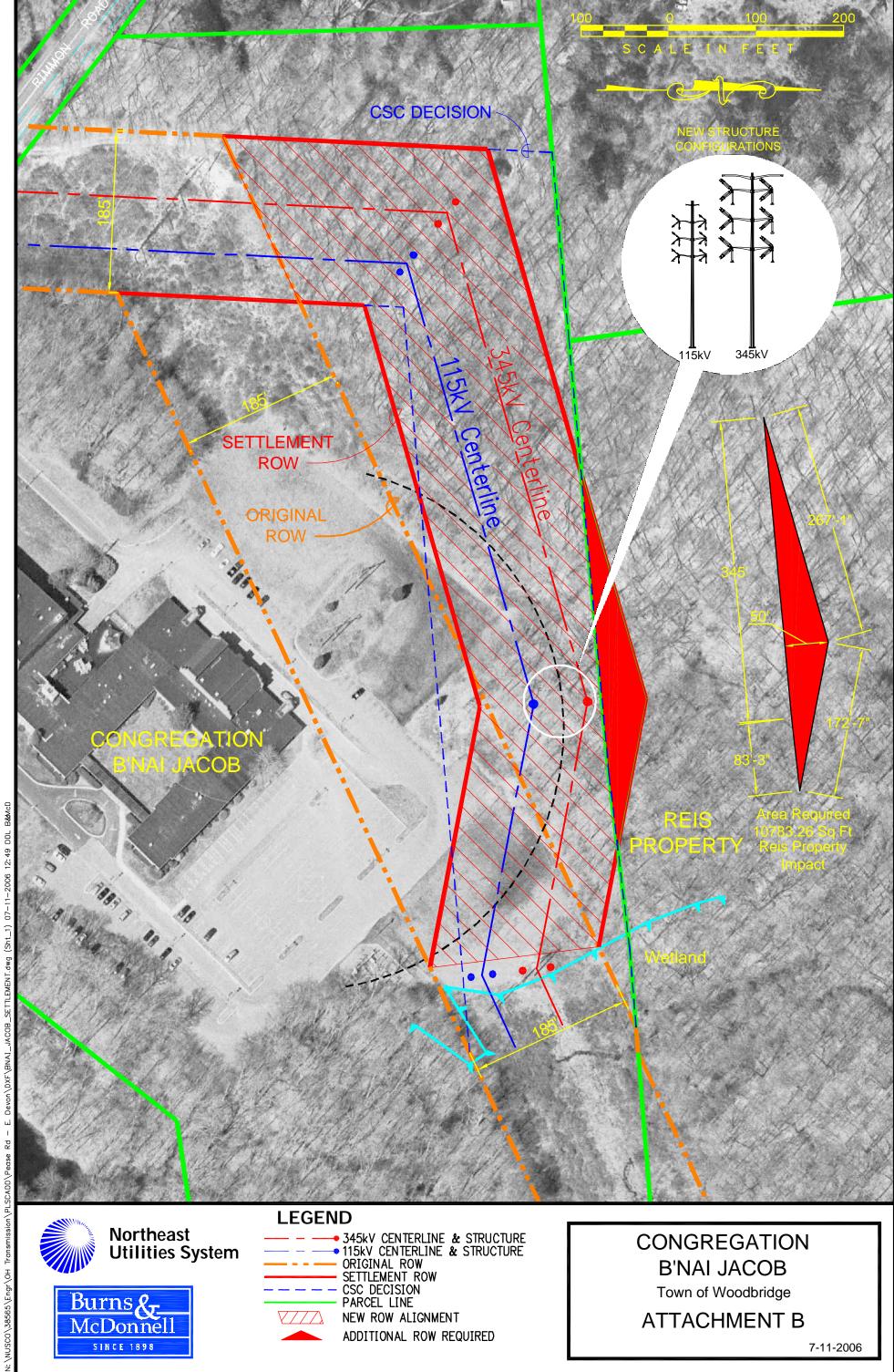
Request from: Connecticut Siting Council

Question:

Provide a legend for the Congregation B'Nai Jacob aerial photograph.

Response:

Please see the attached* drawing.





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B'NAI JACOB Town of Woodbridge

ATTACHMENT B

7-11-2006